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25X1 1. [] Fred Ladd, State Department, called to report on their session with Moose and Lowenstein, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, this morning. He said they had no particular difficulty, but he wanted to alert us to the position the State people took on a question which Lowenstein and Moose proposed as to how much notice State had that martial law would be invoked in the Philippines. State representatives said they knew that Marcos had this as one of his alternatives (Araneta and later Marcos made statements to this effect), but State did not know the exact date. Lowenstein and Moose asked if they considered this a CIA failure and State representatives said they did not. They later added that when Melchor was here later he said he had not known in advance the date on which martial law would be invoked.

With respect to their stop in Japan, Ladd said he thought this was strictly a rest stop and doubted that Lowenstein and Moose would want any briefings on Japan.

25X1 2. [] - GLC) Ellis Hall, DCS, called to say the Department of Agriculture had been in touch with DCS in connection with a response they are making to Representative Pierre duPont (R., Del.) on the Soviet wheat situation. Agriculture has queried DCS about the feasibility of releasing to

25X1 [] I told Hall that the Director did not want anyone providing this information to the Hill and I suggested to Hall that he take this up with Paul Walsh, ADDI, who has been handling the situation.

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3. [] (JGO) [] and Mr. [] FE 25X1
Division, met with Dr. John Brady and Mr. Robert Boyer, House Foreign
Affairs Committee staff, and discussed portions of Dr. Brady's notes of 25X1
information given him in Indochina by various Agency representatives and
others concerning the []

[] The prior Committee report 25X1
by Representatives Murphy and Steele who visited Indochina in April of
last year also made mention of the [] [] 25X1
will check the record on this point. Dr. Brady also renewed the request
for any information we might have on sources of arms flowing into the
narcotics traffic. As an aside, Dr. Brady mentioned that he had received
a very favorable report concerning Agency activities in the narcotics field
in a meeting yesterday with Mr. Sam Papich who has just returned from an
overseas trip.

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4. [] (JGO) Received a call from Mr. Austin
Smith, House Appropriations Committee staff, who told me that Buenos
Aires should be added to the itinerary for Representative Jamie Whitten.

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5. [] (PLC) Naomi Glass, in the office of Henry
P. Smith (R., N.Y.), called concerning a letter received from a constituent,
Arthur Meyer Gelman, who is a close friend of Representative Smith.
The constituent lives in England and operates a publishing house. He was
visiting the U.S. briefly and wanted to discuss a most important matter
with a representative of CIA. Unfortunately, the letter had been received
very late and it appeared Gelman had returned to England. Miss Glass 25X1
would attempt to locate him in the U.S., and I assured her that we could
probably make arrangements with short notice for someone to talk to him. 25X1
I subsequently discussed the matter with [] DCS, and he 25X1
furnished an address to which Gelman could write should he have returned
to England and was not interviewed. I informed [] that we would 25X1
arrange for the interview as soon as the Representative's office had located
Gelman.

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